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Dear Dr. Wortman:

Thank you for taking the time to discuss the above case with me and Brenda Jarrell earlier today. As we discussed we are herewith faxing you a Request for Continued Examination and an accompanying Submission.

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- 1) Submission for Request for Continued Examination Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 (18 pages);
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 - Exhibit A (2 pages)
 - Exhibit B (9 pages)
 - Exhibit C (4 pages)
 - Exhibit D (20 pages)
- 2) Declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 (6 pages); and
- 3) Terminal Disclaimer under 37 C.F.R. § 1.321 (2 pages).

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